GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
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RESERVATION OF SCS/STS/OBCS IN CWES
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the representation of SCs, STs and OBCs has reachedthe level of 15%, 7.5% and 27% respectively in Central Water Engineering Service (Civil Engineering) Group A;

(b) if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) the total number of 'sanctioned posts' in Central Water Engineering Service (Civil Engineering) of Group A;

(d) the number of persons belonging to (i) SCs (ii) STs (iii) OBCs and (iv) General categories working against such postsincluding their respective percentage of such posts as on July 2, 1997; and

(e) the number of fresh vacancies occurred during the last five years filled by persons from SCs, STs, OBCs and Generalcategories, year-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SMT. BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY)

(a) & (b) No, Sir. Reservations in favour of SCs/STs/OBCsare applicable in respect of Junior Time Scale and Senior TimeScale posts in Central Water Engineering (Group 'A') Service. Thereis shortfall in requisite percentage of representation in these posts in promotion due to non-availability of SC/ST officersin the feeder grades and in direct recruitment vacancies due to SC/ST/OBC candidates not joining the service after allocation on the basis of Combined Engineering Services Examination.

(c) The total number of sanctioned posts as on date in various grades of Central Water Engineering (Group 'A')Service is 723 including all grades.

(d) Details are in Annexure-I in respect of Junior and Senior Time Scale posts of the service.

(e) Details are in Annexure-II in respect of Junior and Senior Time Scale posts of the service.